



RULE 09 (37 C.F.R. 1.68)
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understood the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any
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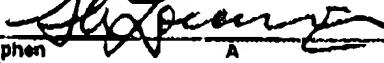
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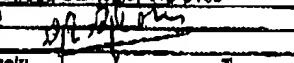
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